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In re Application of
Shunpei Yamazaki, et al.
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: **DECISION ON PETITION**
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This is a decision on the petition filed August 13, 1998, to withdraw the above-identified application from issue pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.313 (b) (5).

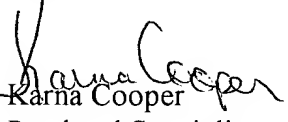
The petition is granted.

Petitioner requests that the above-identified application be withdrawn from issue to permit consideration of an information disclosure statement under 37 CFR 1.97 in a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) simultaneously filed.

The application is withdrawn from issue.

The application will be forwarded to Group 2871 for processing the CPA.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (703) 308-5254.


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